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Topic Czechoslovakian Troops in Eastern Slovakia

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1. The following three categories (regarding strength and equipment) of infantry units were to exist in Czechoslovakia effective 1 October 1949:

- a. Units having full strength
- b. Units having reduced strength
- c. Cadre units.

Several units were also earmarked for deactivation. The 20th Inf Regt with which the deserter served was a unit having reduced strength.

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Comment:

Having been C/S of the [redacted] knowledge and has so far supplied valuable information. Although the report cannot be rated for the lack of comparable information, the statement that the Czechoslovakian infantry units are classified into three categories depending on their T/O&E is considered credible.

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